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Food and Drug Administration
Office of Special Nutritionals (HFS-450)
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition
200 C Street, SW
Washington, DC 20204

Dear Sirs:

Notice is hereby given that Rexall Sundown, Inc. ("Sundown") located at 6111 Broken Sound Parkway, N.W., Boca Raton, Florida 33487 has marketed a dietary supplement under the Thompson, Rexall and Sundown brand names bearing the following statement(s) on the label and/or in the labeling:

St. John's Wort St. John's Wort XTRA (Sundown): [For] natural mood enhancement. St. John's Wort is a popular choice for people who seek herbal support to maintain a positive outlook.

St. John's Wort (Thompson): [It] assists in mood enhancement. This advanced herbal formula features standardized St. John's Wort blended with the whole herbs Ginkgo Biloba, Siberian Ginseng and Ginger that work in harmony to help promote a positive mental outlook.

St. John's Wort (Rexall) (Thompson): [It] assists in mood enhancement. [It] helps maintain a healthy emotional balance by promoting a calming and soothing sense of well-being.

The undersigned certifies that the information contained in this notice is complete and accurate and that Sundown has substantiation that the statement is truthful and not misleading. Pursuant to § 101.93 (a)(1), two copies of this notification are enclosed.

Sincerely,

Deborah Shur Trinker
Vice President of Regulatory Affairs
and Assistant General Counsel

Enclosure

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